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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: ARBANAS

SERIAL NO.: 10/568,231

EXAMINER: HO, HA DINH

FILED: February 14, 2006

ART UNIT: 3681

FOR: VEHICLE STEERING SYSTEM WITH A DEVICE FOR CHANGING
THE GEAR RATIOREQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
 and Trademarks
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant requests an extension of time for one month to May 14, 2008 to respond to the Office Action of January 14, 2008.

Although the Office Action was reported in time to the applicant, the additional time was needed to consider the Examiner's Office Action and to formulate a response thereto.

In view thereof, it is believed that this request for an extension of time be granted.

Please charge the cost for this extension of time for one month to Deposit Account Number 06-1444 of the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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